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WORKING WEEKENDS & WEEKDAY OVERNIGHTS RESURFACING ON HIGHWAY 316 LAWRENCEVILLE

Lawrenceville, Ga. – Resurfacing of Highway 316 from Herrington Road to Highway 120 in Lawrenceville continues as weather permits. Crews are now working weeknights and weekends to complete the work as quickly as possible.

WHERE and WHEN:

- Tonight the Highway 316 east entrance and exit ramps to Riverside Parkway will close.
- Friday night work will close one lane of Highway 316 east.
- Saturday morning one lane of Highway 316 west will close.
- Saturday evening a second lane of Highway 316 east will close.
- Sunday morning a second lane of Highway 316 west will close.

Friday morning work will be finished by 5 a.m. Weekend work begins as 9 p.m. Friday around the clock to 5 a.m. Mondays.

Exit and entrance ramps will be closed as crews work in that immediate area. Signs will direct traffic around ramp closures. Please avoid the area if possible this weekend. The biggest delays will occur Saturday and Sunday as 2 of 3 lanes on Highway 316 are closed.

This 3.76 mile long project was awarded to C.W. Matthews Contracting of Marietta for a contract cost of \$5 million. The project completion date is May 31, 2016.

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